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HIGH SCHOOL

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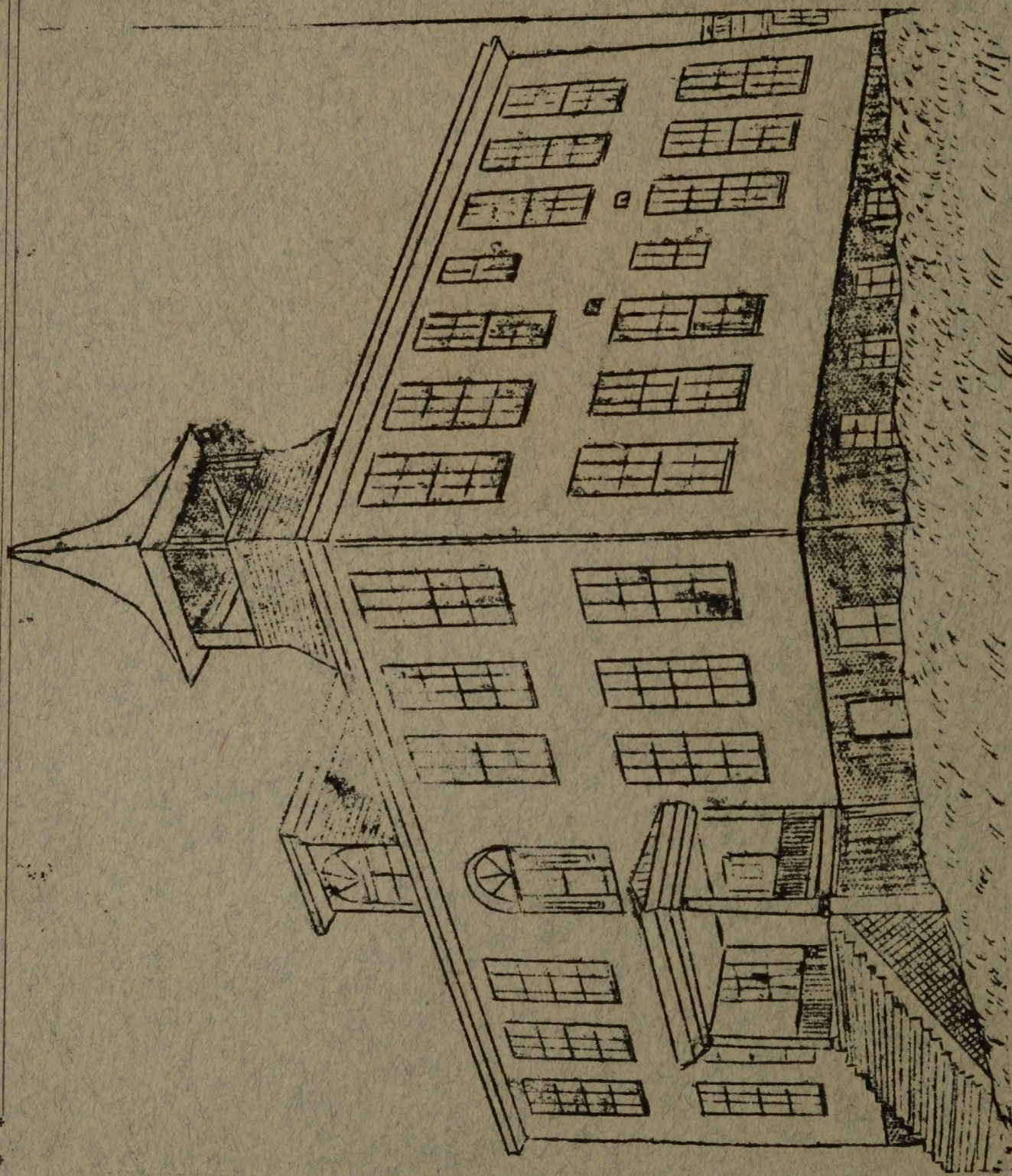
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## IN APPRECIATION

We, the Seniors, Annual Staff and Student body of Natural Bridge High School, extend our sincerest appreciation to our principal, J. G. Goodman, for his splendid leadership during the past three years. During this time we have published our first annual, "The Span". We have also organized a high school Glee Club. During these three years we have had three County Championship and one district Championship basketball teams and have stood high in all athletic activities. This has been for our school a period of quiet, unobtrusive growth and progress. We acknowledge our Principal as the leading spirit in all this.

Our love, respect and gratitude will follow him in his new field of work.



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## DEDICATION

We, the Senior Class of Natural Bridge  
High School, do hereby dedicate this issue  
of "The Span" which is the second volume, to  
our home room teacher, Mrs. Nancy Strickler,  
who, through her kindness and assistance to  
us, has won our love and gratitude.



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### THE FACULTY

J. G. Goodman, B.A.	Principal
Hampden Sidney College- University of Va.	
Mrs. Nancy Strickler, B.S.	Science
Farmville Teachers College- William & Mary	
Mrs. Edgar Smith, B.A., M.A.	Latin and English
Elizabeth College, Pittsburg University	
Mr. Bruce Oliver, B.A.	History
Randolph Macon - William and Mary	
Mr. Fred D. Pultz, B.A.	Mathematics
Washington & Lee, Virginia Tech.	
Miss Ruth McNair	Sixth Grade
Madison College- University of Va.	
Mrs. Ruby Tucker	Fifth Grade
East Radford and Farmville Teachers College	
Mrs. Dorothy McClure	Fourth Grade
Blackstone College- Madison.	
Miss Lucille Edwards	Third Grade
Averett College	
Mrs. Marion McCorkle	Second Grade
Madison College	
Miss Frances Shafer	First Grade
Madison College	



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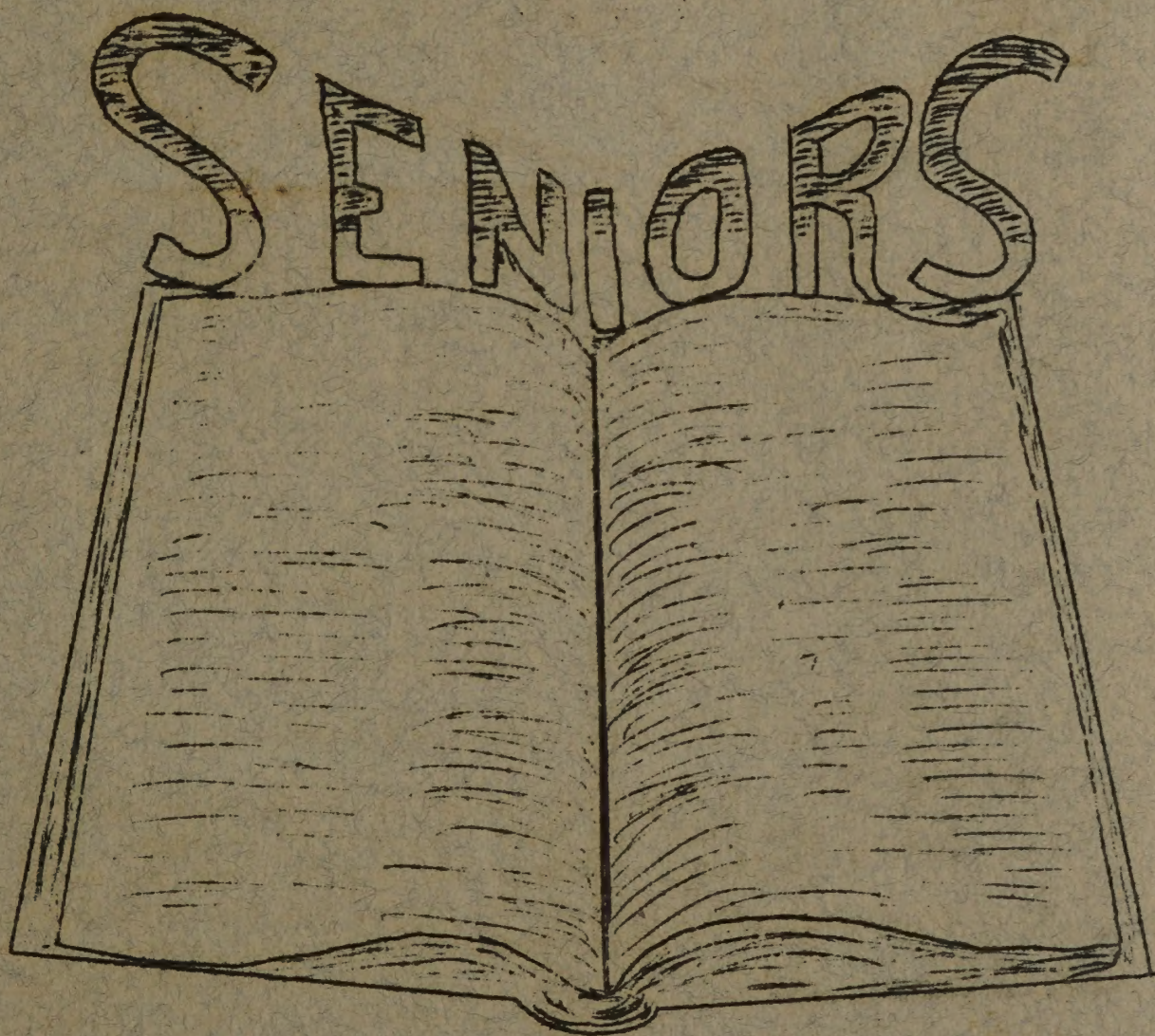
### CLASS OFFICERS

President-----Mary Margaret Zollman

Vice Pres. -----William Flint

Secretary -----Aline Smith

Treasurer -----David Reynolds





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LINFORD RACHTELL

Class Pres. '36-'37. Sec. '37-'38. Basketball '38.

"Still achieving, still pursuing."

We couldn't have have done without Linford. He has been a most faithful member of the class of '39. To others Linford may be quiet and meek, but he is always there scholastically. He has made an outstanding record and we hail him as the Valedictorian of '39.



ELMA GERTRUDE BOLT

Class Reporter '38-'39. Senior Play '39.  
Basketball '36-'37-'38. Baseball '38-'39.

"Among the true and frank, she doth hold first rank."

Gertrude has been a good all-around athlete and her sweet nature and winning personality have stamped her as the kind of a person one chooses for a friend. Gertrude has been faithful as a member of the class of '39 and we wish her lots of luck and happiness.



CLARA VIRGINIA DONALD

Senior Play '39

"Sing away sorrow and cast away care."

If you would glance over the class of '39 you could not find a happier face than Virginia's. Perhaps she hasn't taken her work as seriously as she might, but the real happiness of high school days has been hers. Virginia has proven herself a real actress in the senior play. We predict for her a bright future.



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### WALLACE SCOTT ELLIOTT

Soph. play '36. Glee Club '38-'39 Senior play '39

"Always laughing, always jolly  
always full of fun and folly."

We will all miss Wallace when we part, whether in the schoolroom or on the playground, because of his pleasant ways. Wallace has won many friends at N.B.H.S. because of his friendly disposition. He is planning to be an airplane pilot and we wish him the best of luck as "up he goes."



### CHARLES WILLIAM FLINT

Baseball '36-'37, Captain '38-'39. Soph. play '37.  
Vice Pres. Junior class '37-'38 Glee Club.  
Varsity Club '39. Senior play '39.

William has always been a faithful student. In athletics he starred as catcher on the baseball team. We will never forget the part he took in our senior play as "Uncle Aleck". His chosen profession is aviation, the "highest" position on earth. We are sure he will succeed.



### ROBERT LOYD HARDIN

Sophomore play '37. Glee Club '37-'38.  
Vice President class '38-'39.

"A sound mind in a sound body."

Who is this dignified person? Why that is Robert Loyd Hardin, the most dignified of all the dignified seniors. He has made an outstanding record in his studies. We will miss him after school days are over. We wish him happiness and success in the days to come.





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ARNER RIVES JOHNSTON

Sophomore Play '37

"Laugh and the world laughs with you."

Johnston is quite a man of affairs in spite of the fact that he rings the bell for us. However, in spite of his love of pleasure, 'Squire' manages to get by with more than passing grades. He is quite popular here and will have no difficulty in making friends wherever he goes.



EARL OGDEN

"Screne, calm, and gentle."

Earl, a friend of everyone, joined us in our junior year. He has been a great help to our class with his clear thinking and his calm ways. Earl has high ideals and dreams of the future. We sincerely hope he will make his "dreams come true".



JACOB LOGWOOD PADGET

Glee Club '38-'39.

"Men of few words are the best men."

Jacob is one of the quieter and more reserved members of our class. His present ambition is to go to V.P.I. He has been faithful, loyal, and cooperative an all school activities at N. B.H.S. and we wish him the very best of everything in life.



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### RICHARD PETER PARSONS

Glee club- '37-'38. Basketball '35, '36, '37, '38, .  
Baseball '36, '37, '38, '39.  
Class President '37-'38.

"Build for character, not for fame."

Peter is one on whom you can depend. He is very quiet and well liked by all. He is always ready, both on the playground and in the classroom, to take part in everything to help out his class or his school. We wish him an ever successful future.



### DAVID W. REYNOLDS

Glee club '37-'38. Treas. of class '38-'39.  
Voice Staff '38-'39 Senior play '39.

"By the work one knows the workman."

David is one who is always working. He is very studious and always succeeds in reaching his goals. He has proven himself a true friend to all and is always ready to do his part. Our class has been greatly benefitted by his presence.



### JOHN HENRY SHAFER

Vice President of class '35. President '36.  
Class reporter '38. Basketball and baseball teams  
'37, '38. Sophomore and Senior play '37, '39.  
Athletic Editor for the Voice '38, '39.

"Do your best and do not delay."

John Henry has made a good example for other students to follow if they want to be successful. Determination and effort have won for him success throughout his high school career. Always a good sport--winning or losing.





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ALINE JANE SMITH

Vice Pres. Cla ss '36-'37. Literary Editor  
Voice '37-'38, '38-'39. Sophomore Play '36.

"Her wa ys a re ways of pleasantness, her  
pa ths a re Paths of peace".

A very quiet and timid girl is Aline  
but alwa ys rea dy and willing to lend a  
helping hand. She is always right there  
scholastically. Here's wishing her lots  
of luck and ha ppiness.



FRANCES KATHLEEN THOMPSON

Baseball tea m '38-'39. Captain '39  
Sophomore Play '37, Senior Play '39.

"Short and sweet, but inches do not  
make a woman".

Frances is now finishing the last chapter  
chapter of her book entitled "School Days  
of N.B.H.S. She is a good sport and has  
a n a bundant supply of wit. Frances is  
independent a nd has a head of her own.  
Her friends will remember she is sincere,  
friendly a nd good natured.



IONIA VIRGINIA WINES

Sophomore Play '37. Senior pla y '39.

"A girl worth while is the girl with a  
smile, when everything goes wrong".

Ionia is the jolly all-ruond girl of the  
cla ss; a lthough she has never taken part  
in athletics she has been willing to do  
her share in a ll the class undertakings.  
Ionia has indeadd added much to the success  
and happiness of our class by her willingness  
to work and her happy smile.



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### MARY MARGARET ZOLLMAN

Class reporter '35-'36. Sec. and Treas? '36-'37.  
Sophomore play '37. Treasurer '37-'38  
President '38-'39. Senior play '39.

"A form more fair, a face more sweet Ne'er  
hath it been my lot to meet."

Everyone knows Mary Margaret and everybody  
likes her?. She is quiet and modest; just the  
kind to win friends wherever she goes. The  
class could not do without her. She is always  
dependable and always ready to help others.  
May her success continue.



### EVELYN ARMENTROUT - P.G.

Baseball '35-'38. Capt. of baseball '38. Basket-  
ball '36-'38. Librarian '39. Track '37, '38.

"Gentle of speech, beneficent of mind."

Who's that? Oh that's Evelyn, the old P.G. of  
1939. Evelyn has proved to be of great value to  
N.B.H.S. on the ball field and in the library,  
and we fear that no one will be able to take  
her place. Evelyn's thoughtfulness and kindness  
make her a never-to-be-forgotten-friend at Old  
N.B.H.S.



### EDNA EARLE LEECH- P.G.

Basketball '35, '37. Baseball '34, '38. Mgr. of  
baseball '38. Sophomore Play. Senior Play.  
Athletic Editor of the Voice.

"A friend to all who know her."

Another pupil who is about to close an inter-  
esting chapter in her life, entitled, "Days at  
old N.B.H.S." is Edna. As a member of the class  
of '38 and a Post Graduate of '39 she has proved  
to be a sincere classmate, always ready and will-  
ing to do her part. She has been a good athlete  
and has always been a good sport.





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IN MEMORIAM

Margaret Marie Wallace

died

April 6, 1939

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AWAY

We cannot say, and will not say  
That she is dead--She is just away!

With a cherry smile and a wave of the hand  
She has wandered into an unknown land.

And left us dreaming how very fair  
Its needs must be, since she lingers there.

And you--Oh you, who the wildest yearn  
For the old time step and the glad return.

Think of her faring on as dear  
In the love of There as the love of Here.

Think of her still the same I say;  
She is not dead--She is just away!

James Whitcomb Riley.



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### CLASS HISTORY

Upon my unworthy and incapable shoulders has fallen the grave task of writing a history of the Senior Class of '39. It is with pleasure, but many misgivings that I undertake this task.

On a bright sunny morning in September 1935, the present Senior Class, twenty one timid and bashful freshmen, entered the portals of Natural Bridge High School. This was the most memorable event in the annals of the high school. We were given a cordial reception by the old students, and were made to feel that we had a place in the school. The first month of High School was a happy time for us freshmen. However, like all good things, this was bound to have an end, for on receiving our reports, we saw by our grades that our folly must come to an end. It was with many heartaches and pains that we settled down to hard work to make a more favorable impression upon our teachers. After a showing of brave determination the freshmen class ended the session without any other epoch making event.

Another September day dawns clear, and bright, and with joyous shouts, the present Senior Class, again entered the halls of N.B.H.S. to begin life as a Sophomore. We eagerly took up our studies again. We were disheartened by the fact that we had lost five members of the class, but three other members then came in to cheer us up. We were very proud of the fact that we



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had five men on the athletic teams. We also rendered a play entitled "Pock Father" which was given under the direction of Miss Davidson. After passing through the Sophomore year with flying colors we were ready to take up life as jilly Juniors.

At the beginning of the third year we returned to school eager to begin work again. This time we discovered that a few of our former members had dropped out and that a few new ones had arrived to take their places. During this year our class furnished the teams with four good athletes of distinction, also members of the "Voice Staff" and many for the Glee Club, of which we are proud.

Another summer passes and we find our class together again. This time with dignity, we entered the portals of N.B.H.S. We were looked up to by all, and it was with a kingly feeling that we started our life as a Senior and began the routine of study. This time we welcomed three new members to our class, but during the year we were immeasurably saddened by the death of one of our numbers and illness of another.

It is with a feeling of sadness that we await our parting day on June second. Surely it will be a delight to receive our diplomas, but parting from those fellow classmates, with whom we have been so closely associated, will be tinged with sadness. May each member of the class of '39 go from one success to another; may their fame be enduring; and may they never forget the happy days spent at Natural Bridge High School.



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## CLASS WILL

We the Class of '39, having reached the end of our school career, being in sound health of body and of disposing mind and memory, do make, publish and declare this writing to be our Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and making void all other wills and writings heretofore made.

And we do direct that our funeral services shall be conducted by our friends and well wishers, only requesting that the ceremony be carried out with such dignity and pomp to which standing in school entitles us.

And to such estate as it has pleased the fates and our own strong arms to give, we do dispose of the same as follows;

### Clause I

To our Principal Mr. Goodman, we hereby will and bequeath an adding machine, so that he may more easily add the many figures connected with his work, and especially 4 and 3 so that they will not add up to 17.

To Mrs. Stricklet we hereby will and bequeath the sum of \$50.00 with the understanding that she is to buy a mule to keep her company this summer while she misses her class of mulish pupils.

To Mr. Pultz we leave a smile, to be used when he feels it is necessary.

To Mr. Oliver we bequeath a blue coat, yellow pants a red tie and some striped socks. We understand he likes this combination.

To Mrs. Smith we leave 15 tin soldiers to keep her company next year in place of the Model Seniors of the class of '39.

To Miss Edwards, our Girl's coach we do will and bequeath one hat. We understand that she has been wearing a pancake on her head and we hate to see her head so exposed..

### Clause II

I, Earl Ogden, do hereby leave my "pull" with the teachers, to Alfred Thomas.

I, Gertrude Bolt, do bestow to Elizabeth Whitside my knowledge of "How to get your man".

I, Virginia Donald, request that my "come hither qualities" be left to Virginia Campbell.

I, David Reynolds do cede to Miller Smith my high grades with the suggestion that he use them.

I, William Flint do hereby leave my ability to play baseball to Robert Braford.



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I, Wallace Elliot, do leave my love and knowledge of automobiles to W. B. Zollamn.

I, Ionia Wines do will to Alpha Bolt my art of carrying the mail from route # 1 to route # 4.

I, Jacob P. J. do will and bequeath my lean and hungry look to Christine Hinty.

I, Linford Bachtell do cede to Charles Claytor my ability to play basketball.

I, Frances Thompson, request that all my silly ways be left to Tommy Brady.

I, John Henry Shafer, do leave my love for the Junior class to Leroy Miller.

I, Abner Johnston, do hereby bestow all my worthy goods upon Irene Miller.

I, Peter Parsons, leave my ability to talk and make love in my sleep to Junior Wood.

I, Mary Margaret Zollman, leave my peaceful ways to Mary Mayo.

### Clause III

We the Senior Class do hereby leave to the Junior Class our desks with all the chewing gum beneath to be used in the new building next year.

To the Sophomores we bequeath a teacher to teach them how to debate, so that they will not be so easily defeated next year by the debaters of the freshmen class.

We leave to the Freshmen all our sympathy and gratitude for we have all of the experiences which they are now passing through.

To the School Board we wish to leave our old Athletic field, which might easily be turned into a perfectly good cattle ranch.

To all the grade teachers we leave the all the rooms of the old building, both upstairs and down, with the hope that they will be relieved of those crowded conditions with which they have experienced in the days passed.

To the Janitors, we will a vacuum cleaner, so they will not have such a hard task in cleaning up the Senior Room next year.

All the restb and residue of our property, whatsoever and wheresoever, and of what nature, kind and quality soever it may be, and not herein before disposed of (after paying all our just debts and expenses), we leave to all the pupils of the first six grades, for their use and to be disposed of for their good.

And we do appoint the Junior Class as the sole executor of this our Last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof, We the class of 1939, the testators, have set our hands and seal to this will on this the first day of June, Nineteen Hundred and Thirty Nine.

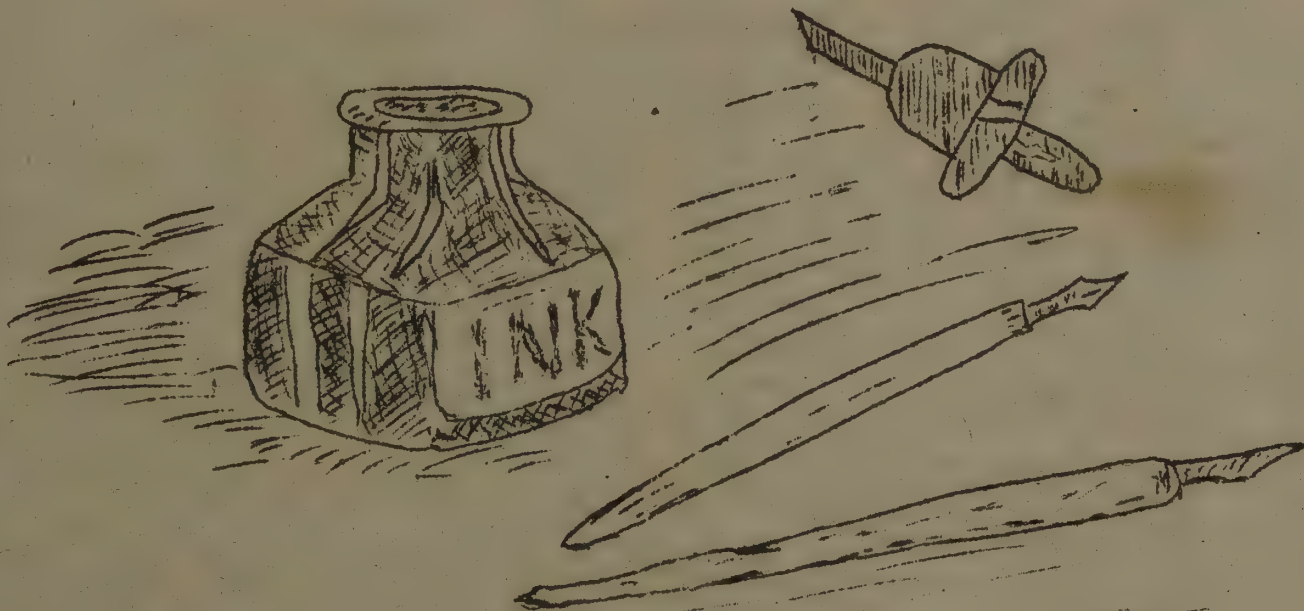


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### CLASS OFFICERS

President ----- Grace Bachtell  
Vice Pres. ----- Virginia Parsons  
Treasurer ----- Essie Sandidge  
Secretary ----- Helen Lewis  
Reporter ----- Ruth Thompson

# JUNIORS



W. S. D.



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### JUNIORS

Name	Nickname	Favorite Expression
Ernestine Armentrout	"Ernie"	"Well, I know it".
Grace Bachtell	"Grace"	"Well, of all things"
Tommy Brady	"Tommy"	"Aw, heck"
Richard Braford	"Rich"	"Aw"
Emma Donald	"Bobby"	"You're telling I".
Viola Firebaugh	"Ola"	"Oh shucks"
Pauline Flint	"Polly"	"Oh good gosh".



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### JUNIORS

Name	Nickname	Favorite Expression
Nancy Hartless	"Susie"	"Gosh".
Helen Lewis	"Mickey"	"Wh-at?"
Marie Martin	"Rea"	"That's what yout think"
Mary Mayo	"Mary"	"Oh, my gosh"
Irene Miller	"Sis"	"Good for you"
Virginia Parsons	"Jenny"	"My stars"
Kathleen Powell	"Kitty"	"Oh, Gee"



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### JUNIORS

Name	Nickname	Favorite Expression
Essie Sandidge	"Essie"	"Good nite"
Alfred Thomas	"Al"	"So what"
Ruth Thompson	"Chick"	"My lands"
Charles Tolley	"Tolley"	"Oh gee whiz"
Hazel Watts	"Hazel"	"Gosh dern"
Junior Wood	"Junior"	"Aw, shucks"
Willie Zollman	"Billie"	"Great time a day"



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President -----Eloise Whitmore

Vice Pres. -----Willys Hunter

Secretary -----Hazel Mackey

Treasurer ----- Eileen Peery

Reporter ----- Claude Camden

# SOPHOMORES





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### SOPHOMORE CLASS.

Mrs. Strickler and Mr. Oliver - Home Room Teachers

Ruby Austin  
 Claude Camden  
 Ralph Claytor  
 Dorothy Cummins  
 Katherine Garrett  
 Leroy Gilbert  
 Eugene Hall  
 Alene Hinty  
 Christine Hinty  
 Ora Bell Huffman  
 Willys Hunter  
 Leroy Miller

Frances Moore  
 Doris Patterson  
 Eileen Peery  
 Kent Peery  
 Junior Smith  
 Miller Smith  
 Estelle Sorrels  
 Lucy Thomas  
 Overton Tuck  
 Ralph Watts  
 Eloise Whitmore  
 Elizabeth Whiteside

Ruth Wilmore



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### CLASS OFFICERS

President -----Dorothy Firebaugh

Vice Pres. -----Rebecca McClelland

Treasurer -----Billy Whitmore

Secretary -----Eva Mae Powell

Reporter -----Alpha Bolt

# FRESHMEN

KNOWN AS "RATS"





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Mr. Pultz ----- Home Room Teacher

Robert Austin	Mildred Goodwin
Junior Barger	Crystal Grim
Alpha Bolt	Morris Grim
Buford Braford	Malcolm Leech
Robert Braford	Eugene Livesay
Matah Camden	Jaunita Mayo
Virginia Campbell	Rebecca McClelland
John Cash	Murphy Miller
Charles Claytor	Nancy Parsons
Daisy Claytor	Eva Mae Powell
Melvin Claytor	Geneva Rice
Talmadge Claytor *	Agnes Smith
Ashley Ferguson	John Thompson
Dorothy Firebaugh	Junior Thompson
Ruth Foster	Boyce Tucker
Jach Funkhouser	Billy Whitmore
Anna Ginger	Claude Wolfe
Mary Ginger	Harry Wolfe

W.B. Zollman

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Seventh Grade



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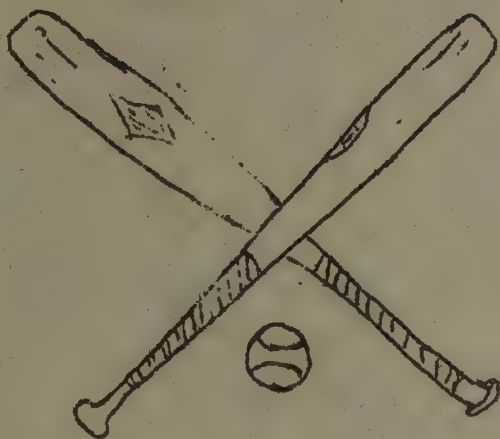
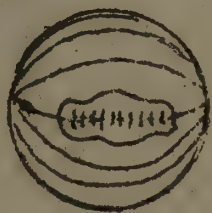
### SEVENTH GRADE

Mrs. Edgar Smith -----Home Room Teacher

Lee Armentrout	Clara Mae Garrett	Van Smith
Audroy Austin	Chester Goolsby	Frances Snider
Kathleen Austin	Annie Hayslett	Tom Sorrells
Charles Blackburn	Charlotte Kite	Virley Thomas
Loyd Braford	Mary Lackey	Bruce Thompson
Louise Campbell	Marion Lotts	Calvin Thompson
Fae Cash	Alvis Lunsford	Gladys Thompson
Ballard Clarke	Billy Anne McAlphin	Fae Tuck
Phyllis Clatterbaugh	Sammy Mitchell	Simon Watkins
Christine Cummins	Justine Molher	Willie Watkins
Erma Ruth Cummins	John Mooneyham	Calvin Watts
Norma Jean Cummins	Lula Bell Mull	Harry Watts
Dorothy Donald	Albert Parks	Juanita Watts
Ruth Dunman	Eva Parsons	Clara Worley
Betty Elliot	Isabell Ramsey	Gilbretta Worley
Calvin Fainter	Dorothy Sandidge	Clida Worth
Rodney Ferguson	Iva Shepherd	
Margaret Flint	Helen Smith	



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### GIRL'S BASKETBALL

The Girl's Basketball team came out of quite a few games this year with a lost look on its face. As the players grouped together to give the opponents a yell they felt a desire in their hearts to try to win the next game. The team showed a fine fighting spirit throughout the entire year.

Their first scheduled game was with Effinger and after a very hard fought game our six came out victorious with a very close score.

The team lost the next games, which were with Glasgow, Goshen, Brownsburg, and Fairfield, with some very close scores.

What are scores anyway? The Coach often told the team just before the game that scores were soon forgot, but that the sportsmanship displayed during the game would long be remembered. Thus the team had as its goal "to play the Game"-win or lose.



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Top row: N. Parsons, McClelland, Edwards, Lewis, Hunter, Mayo.  
Front row: Foster, V. Parsons, Bolt, Goodwin, Peery, Sandidge.

### GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Helen Lewis ----- Captain  
Essie Sandidge ----- Manager  
Miss Luville Edwards ----- Coach

### SQUAD

Gertrude Bolt  
Ruth Foster  
Mildred Goodwin

Willys Hunter  
Helen Lewis  
Mary Mayo

Rebecca McClelland  
Nancy Parsons  
Virginia Parsons  
Eileen Peery  
Essie Sandidge



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### BOYS BASKETBALL

Another year has passed and Natural Bridge has to its credit another Championship Basketball team. Of the six games played in the county, all were victories for the N.B.H.S. boys. The teamwork was outstanding.

From last years squad the following letter men were back again; Peter Parsons, Alfred Thomas, John Henry Shafer, Richard Braford, Tommy Brady, Kent Peery, Junior Wood, The new men who were added to the squad were Linford Bachtell, Morris Grim, and John Cash.. This squad under the leadership of Captain Parsons and the splendid coaching of Mr. Bruce Oliver went from one victory to another. The manager of the team was Robert Braford, who did a good job of it.

The men who earned their letter for this year are Parsons, Brady, Thomas, Shafer, Peery, Wood, Bachtell, and R. Braford.

Besides the games on the County Schedule a few games were played with nearby schools of other counties. On December 3rd., the team played in the District tournament and won the District Championship by noseing out Eagle Rock by a score of 25 to 21.

#### Schedule and Scores.

N.B.H.S.	26	14	Effinger
N.B.H.S.	14	6	Glasgow
N.B.H.S.	37	14	Goshen
N.B.H.S.	22	16	Fairfield
N.B.H.S.	23	13	Brownsburg
N.B.H.S.	25	21	Eagle Rock.



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Top row: Bachtell, Tolley, Oliver, Wood, Cash, Grim, Robt Braford.  
Lower row: Thomas, Shafer, Parsons, Rich Braford, Brady, Peery.

### BOYS' BASKETBALL

Peter Parsons-----	Captain
Robert Braford -----	Manager
Mr. Bruce Oliver -----	Coach

### SQUAD

Alfred Thomas  
Kent Peery  
John Henry Shafer

Peter Parsons  
Tommy Brady  
Richard Braford

Junior Wood  
Linford Bachtell  
John Cash  
Morris Grim  
Charles Tolley



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### GIRL'S BASEBALL 39

Early in the spring a large and enthusiastic group of girls reported for baseball. They were on the diamond almost by the time the bell rang, eager to play. The team has kept up this fine spirit throughout the season and worked very hard under Miss Edward's faithful coaching.

There were only four letter players with which to start the new season, since most of the team graduated the year before. The new material began to show fast improvement and the prospects for a successful season looked good.

Frances Thompson, the captain, deserves special mention for her good playing, good leadership, and good sportsmanship. All of the players deserve much credit for the way in which they played the game.

Our county schedule and scores were as follows:

N. B. H. S.	-----6	-	9	----Effinger
N. B. H. S.	-----5	-	5	----Goshen
N. B. H. S.	-----6	-	15	---Glasgow
N. B. H. S.	-----11	-	15	---Brownsburg
N. B. H. S.	-----10	-	9	----Fairfield

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## GIRLS BASEBALL

Frances Thompson ----- Captain  
 Helen Lewis ----- Manager  
 Miss Lucille Edwards --- Coach

Gertrude Bolt	Mary Mayo
Alpha Bolt	Rebecca McClelland
Dorothy Cummins	Nancy Parsons
Daisy Claytor	Virginia Parsons
Ruth Foster	Doris Patterson
Mildred Goodwin	Eileen Peery
Willys Hunter	Essie Sandidge
Helen Lewis	Frances Thompson



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—Snapshots—



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Top: Watts, Tolley, Shafer, Oliver, Wood, Thompson, Claytor, Braford,. Lower: Flint, Thomas, Cash, Braford, Peery, Parsons, Wolf.

## BOYS BASEBALL

William Flint -----Captain  
 Robert Braford----- Manager  
 Ralph Watts-----Asst. Manager  
 Mr. Bruce Oliver ----- Coach

Richard Braford	Kent Peery
Tommy Brady	John Shafer
John Cash	John Thompson
Ralph Claytor	Alfred Thomas
William Flint	Charles Tolley
Peter Parsons	Harry Wolf
Junior Wood	



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### BOYS BASEBALL

The boys' baseball team played a total of eight games winning four games and losing four. They came in third in the County race, losing to Fairfield and Glasgow by close scores. In the County games we defeated Effinger, Goshen, and Brownsburg.

The season was started with seven letter men which included such stars as William Flint, Alfred Thomas, Peter Parsons, Kent Peery, Richard Braford, Junior Wood and John Henry Shafer.

The letter men for this year are William Flint, John Cash Kent Peery, Alfred Thomas, Richard Braford, Pete Parsons, Harry Wolf, Junior Wood, Tommy Brady, John Henry Shafer, Robert Braford and Ralph Watts. Parsons and Thomas led the team in hitting.

The team was ably coached by Mr. Bruce Oliver, and was managed by Robert Braford with Ralph Watts as his assistant.

#### The Schedule and Scores

N.B.H.S.	9	-----	8	Big Island
N.B.H.S.	5	-----	1	Effinger
N.B.H.S.	5	-----	2	Goshen
N.B.H.S.	0	-----	8	Lexington
N.B.H.S.	16	-----	0	Brownsburg
N.B.H.S.	3	-----	26	Lexington
N.B.H.S.	9	-----	10	Fairfield
N.B.H.S.	8	-----	12	Glasgow



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## VARSITY CLUB

President ----- Junior Wood  
 Sec'y & Treas. ----- Tommy Brady  
 Sponsor ----- Mr. Bruce Oliver

Peter Parsons	Tommy Brady
Kent Peery	William Flint
Alfred Thomas	Junior Wood
John Shafer	Richard Braford



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### G L E E C L U B

The Glee Club was again organized under the capable direction of Mrs. Smith. Much interest has been shown from the very first meeting. There are about fifty members in the Club.

The following Officers were choshen for the year: Helen Lewis, President; Emma Donald, Vice President; Virginia Parsons, Secretary and Treasurer; Essie Sandidge, Custodian; and Eloise Whitmore, Pianist.

The club has learned many new songs and has been an inspiration to the school. The Assembly programs have been enriched by the help of the Glee Club.

Some of the numbers which are being prepared for the commencement program are "God Of Our Fathers", "Golden Sunset Gate", "The Church in The Wildwood", "Lead On O King Eternal", "Old Virginia", and "The Bells of Saint Marys".

The Glee Club wishes to express its appreciation to Mrs. Smith for her patience, encouragement and guidance as director of the club.



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GLEE CLUB

Top row: Miller Smith, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. McCorkle, Miss McNair,  
Mrs. Tucker, Mr. Oliver, Melvin Claytor, Junior Smith,  
Claude Camden.

4th row: Ralph Watts, Helen Lewis, Crystal Grim, Fae Tuck, Wallace  
Elliott, Jacob Padgett, Calvin Watts, Leroy Miller,  
Boyce Tucker, Van Smith.

3rd row: Eva Powell, Eileen Peery, Nancy Parsons, Ernestine  
Armentrout, Ruth Wilmore, Viola Firebaugh, Estelle  
Sorrells, Bruce Thompson, Loyd Braford, Murphy Miller.

2nd row: Grace Bachtell, Ora Bell Huffman, Virginia Parsons,  
Eloise Whitmore, Pauline Flint, Lula Bell Mull, Margaret  
Flint, Justine Mohler, Billy Ann McAlphin, Frances Snider.

1st row: Dorothy Cummins, Essie Sandidge, Iva Shepherd, Clida Worth  
Annie Hayslett, Juanita Watts, Irma Ruth Cummins, Virley  
Thomas, Norma Jean Cummins, Dorothy Donald, Betty Elliott,  
Dorothy Sandidge.



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## THE HALL OF FAME

BEST ALL ROUND	x	Boy Girl	Peter Parsons Mary Margaret Zollman
BEST LOOKING		Boy Girl	Junior Wood Eloise Whitmore
BEST <i>Athlete</i>		Boy Girl	Peter Parsons Doris Patterson
BEST SPORT		Boy Girl	Peter Parsons Helen Lewis
MOST POPULAR		Boy Girl	Tommy Brady Hazel Mackey
MOST DEPENDABLE		Boy Girl	John Henry Shafer Mary Margaret Zellman
BEST NATURED		Boy Girl	Richard Braford Grace Bachtell
BIGGEST FLIRT		Boy Girl	Eugene Hall Hazel Mackey
MOST MISCHIEVOUS		Boy Girl	Ralph Watts Eileen Peery
MOST ACCOMMODATING		Boy Girl	John Henry Shafer Virginia Parsons
MOST TALKATIVE		Boy Girl	Tommy Brady Katherine Garrett
MOST STUDIOUS		Boy Girl	Junior Wood Matah Camden



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